



MS AMENDMENT  
PATENT  
3273-0153P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yasutaka ISHII et al. Conf.: 1456  
Appl. No.: 10/092,554 Group: 1626  
Filed: March 8, 2002 Examiner: SHIAO  
For: CATALYST COMPRISING A CYCLIC IMIDE  
COMPOUND (AS AMENDED)

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**MS AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 13, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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No fee is required.

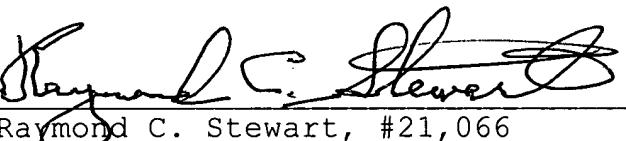
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Respectfully submitted,

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***EXTENSION OF TIME.*** In a communication mailed May 3, 2005, the Examiner indicated that the Appeal Brief filed April 8, 2005 "is not considered because applicants have not paid fee for extension of time". A Final Rejection was mailed on August 10, 2004. Less than 6 months later, on February 9, 2005, Applicants paid for an extension of time and filed a Notice of Appeal. Less than 2 months after the filing of the Notice of Appeal, on April 8, 2005, Applicants filed a Brief on Appeal. No extension of time is seen to be necessary in connection with this application.

Please enter the following amendments and Remarks into the file of  
the above-identified application.

This paper includes:

**Amendment to the specification;**

**Amended Claim Set; and**

**Remarks.**